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1. A unit from the Luetzendorf Kaserne in Weimar with one motor boat and 20 trucks with pontoons was dispatched toward Leipzig at 1600 hours on 23 April. Troops from the Weimar-Buchenwald concentration camp were entrained on 16 April. On 17 April, the camp was still occupied by 150 soldiers. ¹
2. Troops and billeting equipment from barracks in the area of the Kammersdorf firing range were entrained between 24 and 27 April. ²
3. On 23 April, 16 boxcars and 29 flatcars went from Fuerstenwalde to Naumburg

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1. Motor vehicle [REDACTED] indicate that these entraining operations involved the departure of the engineer regiment of the 8th Guards Army, probably to the Dessau-Aken area.
2. Elements of the 62nd AA Division of the 3rd Guards Mechanized Army probably moved to Dessau.
3. Probably a train bound for Wustrow carrying troops of the 63rd AA Division of the 4th Guards Mechanized Army.

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